## THE KILKENNY FIGHT

PARNELL'S LEADERSHIP APPARENT-LY REPUDIATED AS A RESULT.

Repressy Reported Victor in the Contest-A Quiet Election, All Things Considered-Great Excitement.

KHEENER, December 22.—The polling ned briskly this morning, everybody oking forward to a most exciting day.

was somewhat clouded by

REFERENCE PROTEST.

RICKENST, December 22.—Timothy Haragten says that priestly coercion was
ampant throughout North Rillenny tolay, and that the Parnellites have good
founds to petition against the validity of
icnnessey's election—should the latter be
have to have defeated scully.

ALL QUIEE.

The polling has passed of quiety. There was no disturbance here, and no disorder contry of mention is reported in any of the other towns in the district.

Resimond and O'Ke'lly have left this fown on their way to Paris, where they expect to meet O'Brien.

Suproser for Parnell.

Busin, December 22.—At a convention of league delegates at East Galway to-day it was resolved to support Parnell.

PARSELL ON THE CONTEST. REPORTED ON THE CONTEST.

REFERSY, December 22.—It is stated to out of 5,700 person entitled to vote at lay a election 4,500 cast their ballots, see who also taked from voting are said are been mostly Unionists. In an increase Parnell said he expected the matrix would be small, whichever party. If hoped the bitterness of language marked the contest would be forgotand, in fact, considering all things, be able to be bitterness of language marked the considering all things, be able to be battle had been fought with call feeling on either side.

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The baid that his eyes were much ler, if will go to Av indale to morrow will remain there a day, proceeding over to Paris. He will not resume the page in Ireland until January.

Aviit, in an interview this eyening, said was confident that Hennessy had won a majority of about 1,000. FEHARP SCHIMMAGE.

During December 22.—At Carrick-onbur, Tipperary, to-night a crowd of Parollites attempted to make a bonfire of a
cle of copies of Davitt's paper, the Labor
sold, whereupon they were attacked by
party of Davitt sympathizers and a
barp serimmage ensued. The fight endd in a rout of the Parnellites, several of
Commerce wounded.

Kilkenny Becember 22.—The town is in-tensely excited to-night, but no disorder has occurred. The streets are full of peo-ple, eazerly discussing the day's election. Demons vary widely as to the result of the poll and nothing definite can be learned from any source.

DUBLIN, December 22.—Two carters employed by the Insuppressible newspaper tell a reculiar story. They assert that while driving through the streets with wagonizeds of papers they were attacked by a number of masked men who compelled them to drive to Phomix Park, where the rapers were torn in pieces and scattered.

RENNESSY ELECTED. Losnon, December 23.—A dispatch from Kilkenny to the Daily News says that there is not the slightest doubt that Sir John Pope Hennessy is elected by a majority of at least 600.

## WILD EXCITEMENT.

A Parnellite Procession-A Serious Collision with Difficulty Prevented.

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(By Angle-American cable to the Dispatch.)

KILENNY, December 22.—Advices from Johnstown state that Hennessy's supporters, headed by a number of enthusiastic priests, marched through the streets there, causing a scene of wild excitement. The procession was cheered by Honnessy's friends and greeted with groams by his encines. It was with difficulty that the police prevented a serious collision. Jaunting cars from hil parts were driven to town loaded with Hennessy men, but in spite of this the Parnellites claim a majority in Johnstown.

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[Battimore Sun.] which is attracting so my tention at present as the scene of the first parliamentary conflict between the Par-nellite and and anti-Parnellite factions of the Irish Nationalists, is an inland county of the province of Leinster, situated in the southeastern part of the Emerald Isle. Its name was derived from St. Cannech, or Cannec, abbot of Achaboe, who died in 500 cance, abloc of Agnacoe, who died in 593, and whose see was removed to Kilkenny in the eleventh century. In Prolemy's time it was inhabited by the Brigantes and the Cauci. Later it was part of the kingdom of Vistraigagh. It was first made a county in 1210 under King John. During the revolution it was en Irieh stronghold and maintained the cause of Javan III viscoursely. which caused commercials excited as ereulated during the morning. There were in 1850 as many as 14,045 plots of have been confined in a coal-pit for to prevent their voting. Wild as were made by both sides and it announced that the miners would be red at any cost. Investigation, how showed the story to be nothing more ming than

A CAMPAIGN LIE,

howle of derision were exchanged because the opposing parties when it became sown that the miners referred to would say that the miners referred to would seen the opposing parties when it became sown that the miners referred to would say in the day march in a body to the care in th

surfus in other real estate for the uses of the best are recalled it to him, and it short of the scheme the Irish pecand. It would leave control of the slice and t'e judiciary in English and would a give the Dublin Parpower to agislate in respect to iteted tenants, &c. This would be sent. Mr. Parnell, accordingly, of Ireland: "Do not sacrifice maintain the alliance with glish Home-Rulers, for that alloes not mean the independence of the group of the property for the purpose of signing the contract with the line and all the steek and leave sufficient surplus to reinvest in land which could be given back to the old society. This would be property for furnishing 134 street lights for one given back to the old society. This would be property for furnishing 134 street lights for one given back to the old society. This would be property for furnishing 134 street lights for one given back to the old society. This would be property for furnishing 134 street lights for one given back to the old society. This would be purpose of signing the contract with the property for furnishing 134 street lights for one given back to the old society. This would be property for furnishing 134 street lights for one given back to the old society. This would be purpose of signing the contract the property for furnishing 134 street lights for one given back to the old society. This would be property for furnishing 134 street lights for one given back to the old society. T

satisfactory home-rule bill must pos-sovereign authority." The Nationalisis is have sought to depose Mr. Parnell's Gladstonean alliance reply by de-ng the truth of Mr. Parnell's relations. It is only, they conying the truth of Mr. Parnell's evelations. It is only, they conend, by means of the Gladstonean linance that a home-rule bill can be carted in this generation, and hence Mr. Parnell must give way if Mr. Gladstone insists pon it. Essales, with the advantages that wen an imperfect home-rule bill would ive, it would be possible for a Dublin Parament to wrench from England in a short way the full measure of soverginty it de-

e the full measure of sovereignty it de THE IRISH NATIONAL LEAGUE. Its British Branches to Lose Most of Their

LONDON, ENG., December 22 .- A circular just issued informs the British branches of the Irish National League that the services of most of the officials connected with such branches will not be needed in future, owing to the present financial position of the league.

lyzing traffic throughout the district. Very few trains are running. Pickets of strikers are stationed at many points trying to induce the few engine-drivers remaining at work to join the ranks of the strikers. In several instances the persuasion of the pickets has been strong enough to win over additions to the number of men already out on strike. The Lanarkshire strikers are conducting their operations with much vigor. Their pickets are doing good work. All the mineral and most of the passenger traffic has already been stopped, and there does not seem to be any prospect of an early settlement of the matters in dispute.

FORTY-THE HUNDRICD MEN OUT.

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FIRM STAND AGAINST THE STRIKERS. The railway managers are making a firm the decease stand against the strikers. They have given the men a day's notice to roturn to work, and assert that they are quite able to get new men to fill the places of the interment.

In consequence of the strike all express In consequence of the strace an express trains are coming in late, arriving on an average about four hours behind time. The managers of the railway companies threaten to prosecute the strikers for breach of contract claiming that the men failed to give their employers proper natice before going out.

APPECTING VARIOUS INTERESTS. The confusion resulting from the strike is affecting the collieries, the furnaces, and other large interests of various kinds. The Singer Sewing-Machine Works have shut down and will remain alosed until the strike is settled.

The Greenock men have joined the strike movement, but the Edinburgh and Pertin men have refused to go out.

All North British trains between Aberdeen and Edinburgh, including the London express, have ceased running.

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SUDDEN ENDING OF THE VIRGINIA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY MEETING.

Executive Committee to Devise Means for Seitling the Debt.

Obedient to the call of President Ashton Starke about fifty life-members and stockholders of the Virginia Agricultural and senbaum. Mechanical Society assembled in the parlors of the Richmond Bar Association yes-

The call, which had been published in the Dispatch for several weeks, stated that "election of officers, an exposition in 1891, 29, Legion of Sed Cross, the following officers and the future of the society," would be were elected for the ensuing term; Commander,

Among those present were W. C. Knight,
Major A. R. Venable, Major Joseph
Walker, Colonel John Murphy, Colonel A.
S. Butord, Messrs, John F. Jackson, Ro.
Hill, Jr., Chris, Evensen, Fritz Sitterding,
Thomas G. Leath, Ro. H. Whitlock, Edgar
Fergusson, E. C. Wingo, George S. Vashon,
E. D. Facho, Richard Gaines, W. B. Wood,
Everett Waddey, George Guvernator,
Judge George L. Christian, Mr. E. C. Stacy,
Colonel John B. Cary, Mr. John P. Branch,
Major Gregory, Messrs, James Lyon, E. T.
Cannor, N. W. Bowe, Lewis D. Crenshaw,
James L. Anderson, and Rosewell Page.

beart of Ireland is with Mr. McCarthy and the other champions of the Gladstonean alliance. The violence with which the campaign is being conducted is not out of proportion to the interests, personal and political, it must affect. The political principle involved is of the first important a one to deside at once. It might be well perhaps to appoint a committee to look into the matter.

Major Walker coincided in the views expressed by Colonel Buford was to the present point of view.

Mr. Parnell, fighting for his position as leader of the parliamentary representatives of Ireland, resents Mr. Gladstone's effort to compel him to withdraw as an effort to fuse the Irish with the English home rulers, and thus destroy the integrity and independence of the Irish Nationalist.

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PAVOR AN EXPOSITION. branches will not be needed in future, owing to the present financial position of the league.

RAILWAY STRIKE IN SCOTLAND.

Freight Traffle Stopped—Both Sides Firm.
The Strike Extending.

GLASGOW, December 22.—The railway strikers have so far succeeded in paralyzing traffle throughout the district.

Very for trains are running. Pickets of

Over One Hundred.

Among the deaths reported last week was that of Mamie McGhee, a colored woman who is said to have been one hundred and two years old.

The deceased was formerly a slave of the McGhee family, of Halifax county, and one of her sons (the "baby" as he called himself), who is nearly sixty years old, told Dr. Oppenhimer that he had actual proof of his mother's age, as her birth was recorded in the tamily Bible of her former owners.

owners.
The old woman lived on Fifth street between Clay and Marshall, and up to a short while ago was very "peart" and hearty.
Her death, however, was caused by old

one of the strangest things connected with the death of the alleged centenarian is that no member of the family claim that the deceased "waited on George Washington," as all other centenarians have done.

The remains of the aged woman will be taken to Scottsburg, Halifax county, for interment.

DEAD BUT NOT KNOWN.

The Body of a Colored Man Found Down in Henrico.

In Henrico.

The body of an unknown colored man was found in Henrico county about fourteen miles below Richmond on Sunday. On his person were concealed a pistol, razor, and several stones tied up in a rag, apparently used for a slung-shot.

The man was last seen on December 13th, when he called at a house and asked for something to eat, which was refused.

Although his body was not decomposed, it is supposed that he had been dead for several days.

The deceased appeared to be about fifty years old. There was nothing found on his person besides the weapons, consequently he could not be identified.

Squire G. C. Vincent held an inquest over his remains. The jury rendered a verdict that death resulted from exposure.

No Reason for Pardon.

The Governor yesterday refused to pardon James Patterson, of this city, who at the September term of the Hustings Court was found guilty of unlawful assault and given six months in the city jail and fined \$400.

The papers were referred to Judge Witt, who was of opinion that the sentence was a light one, as nine of the jurors were in favor of sending the accused to the penitentiary.

Judge Weliford, of the City Circuit Court, vesterday granted a charter to the Goodman Manufacturing Company, the purposes of which ere to conduct the busi-ness of making and selling brooms, brushes.

wooden- and willowware of any descrip-tion, and other articles pertaining to house-hold use.

Real estate may be held not exceeding

two acres in Richmond and five thousand acres elsewhere in the State. The capital stock is to be \$100,000 or \$125,000, divided into shares of \$10) each. The principal office is to be kept in the city of Rich-

mend.
The following are the officers for the first year: President, Sigmund M. Goodman; Vice-President, Joseph M. Rosenbaum; Secretary and Treasurer, Morton A. Goodman. Directors: The above and Mesars Fred. S. Myers and Morton B. Rosenbaum.

allowed to take what other holday taky wish—without pay, of course, The Chesapeake and Ohio shops will sus-pend for Christmas-day only. Work at Taibott's foundry will stop at noon to-morrow and will be resumed next

The Old Dominion Iron- and Nail-Works

No work will be done in a general way after Wednesday for the remainder of the week at the Riehmond Locomotive-Works.

please the country members.

No quonum.

During the discussion that followed Mr.
Anderson stated that he had telephoned the City Clerk and he had received an analyse for the contract that the city representatives term expired July 1, 1830, and that the city was therefore unrepresented, and no quorum was present. This brought the proceedings to an abrupt close.

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Grounds, or mortgaging the property of the society, to the Executive Committee, who will report what in their judgment is most feasible at an adjourned meeting to be held Thursday, January 15th, at 11:30

A. M.

The original time suggested was 12 o'clock. An amendment was offered to make it ti o'clock. At it vote was the result and the President said he would strike a mean between the two.

ist church.
Mr. and Mrs. Nelson left on the 10:30
Chesapeake and Ohio train for Kansas City. Bank of Oxford vs. E. O. Bransford. Judg-sent in favor of the plaintiff for \$400.33. An order was entered from the Court of Ap-ends certifying down the action of the court in firming the judgment of the lower court in the sit of George H. Jewett vs. Boulware & Wil-

it of George H. Jewett ra. Boulware 2 Wa-mas, trusteer.
Johnson's administrator ra. the Richmond and anville Railroad Company. Continued on mo-on of the plaintiff.
E. D. Samuels and Major Bland were appoint-it rustees of the Good Samaritan Association, or George H. White and Joseph Bullock, de-

An Old Man Struck by a Train. An old Man Struck by a train.

The city ambulance was summoned yestorday at 11 o'clock to attend an aged white man at the corner of Ninth and Main streets, who had been struck by a train near the Hichmond and Alleghany depot and slightly hurt, receiving a scalp wound. The wound was sewed up and the man left better the representations. He was able to walk

the ambulance. He was able to walk Going After Lemons.

A requisition was made vesterday by Governor McKinney upon the Governor of West Virginia for Thomas Lemons, who is wanted in Floyd county for the murder of Aaron Jannie. The offence was committed May 18, 1889, Lemons striking the murdered man over the head with a rock, inflicting injuries from which death resulted.

Lemons is now in jail in Raleigh county, West Va.

Exposition Fence on Fire.

Sunday afternoon between 4 and 5 o'clock that part of the Exposition fence just be youd the main entrance was discovered by Messrs, William H. Babgood and Harry Winfree to be on fire. They, with the assistance of Messrs, A. B. Brandt and H. L. Ford, by persistent efforts, succeeded in extinguishing the flames.

The alarm of fire from Box 45 at 4:05 Sunday afternoon was caused by the burning of a wardrobe in a house on St. James street between Baker and Charity.

The damage was alignt, to the evident disgust of the several thousand spectators who gathered quickly in that vicinity. Christmas-Trees and Flags.

The steamship Old Dominion came up to the dock resterday with Christmastrees at the masts and flags flying, presenting quits a holiday appearance. About 150 colored folks came as passengers from New York. The Grand Jury of Henrico County The Grand sury of Henrico county, which was in seesion yesterday, found the following true bills of indictment:

Richmond City and Seven-Pines Railroad Company for obstructing the Kine-Bills read.

J. C. Fowler, road surveyor, for failure to repair the public roads.

PLAN OF SETTLEMENT

TO MR. CLEVELAND'S BOARD. Creditors to Accept the Questions

Friday's Dispatch gave a brief outline of the scheme proposed by the Olcott Committee for the settlement of the public debt of the State of Virginia. The committee's letter to the Advisory Board, giving a somewhat detaileds explanation of the plan, is given below, only such portions being omitted as explain cerpeople of Virginia are entirely familiar. A copy of the letter has been in the posses-sion of the Board of Sinking Jund Com-

NEW YORK, November 28, 1800.

A special meeting of the Committee on Electric Light was heid last night for the purpose of signing the contract with the Richmon's Railway and Electric Company for furnishing 134 street lights for one year from February 8th next.
Captain Andrew Pizzini had a contract in readiness—the same as the one under which the lighting is now done.
The committee did not think it proper to sign until the City Attorney had seen the contract, and after a lengthy and spirited debate it was referred to that official.

Marriage of Mr. Nelson and Miss Sydner.
A beautiful marriage was solemnized last night at the First Baptist church, in which the contracting parties were Mr. A. Jefferson Nelson and Miss Gortrude Sydnor. The groom is a son of James Nelson, nor. The groom is a son of James Nelson, for this city. The bride was dressed in a lentered the church leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. G. Barrett Sydnor.
The bridal party entered the church in the following order: E. M. Crutchfield and M. D. Hart, George Drewry and Dr. Wythe Davis, S. L. Gilliam and W. H. Hoofingle, the groom and A. R. Nelson, and the bride with her crother, G. Barrett Sydnor.
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PLAN FOR THE ADJUSTMENT:

1. The Bondholders' Committee shall, in carrying out the purposes of the agreement dated May 1z, 150, aurender to Virginia all the obligations deposited under the afforession agreement, and receive in full satisfaction therefor such an amount of new bonds as may be agreed upon between the said committee and the representatives of the State as the maximum amount upon which the State is able to appropriate an amount annually for the payment of interest, which amount shall not be less than the sum agreed upon as a minimum by the Bondholders' Committee and approved by the Advisory Beard.

Provided, that a settlement shall not be concluded unless the committee be unanimous.

2. The new books to bear such rate of interest and to have such exemptions and to be of such character as the representatives of Virginia and the committee consider best calculated to give them the standing they will deserve in the money markets of the world.

3. The distribution of the new securities among the depositing creditors shall be adjusted by a commission to consist of Mr. — appointed by the Virginia Committee in London; Mr. — appointed by the Virginia Committee in London; Mr. — appointed by the Virginia Committee in London; Mr. — appointed by the Virginia Committee, As agent for the depositing creditors, to settle pencing state and judgments against tax-payers who have tendered coupons for taxes and to receive and deliver to the State as part of the cutstanding debt the coupons involved.

We have the honor to be your obedient servants,

CHARLES D. DIGERT, JR.,

WILLIAM D. BCIL.

HEGR R. GARDEN,

HENRY BUDGE,

JOHN CHARLES D. MICERT, JR.,

WILLIAM D. BCIL.

HEGR R. GARDEN,

HEARLY BUDGE,

JOHN CHARLES D. MICERT, JR.,

BERNAY BUDGE,

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The Advisory Board at a meeting held some time ago manimously approved the proposed plan and recommended the creditors to accept it.

The London holders named Sir — Lidderdale, a high functionary in the Bank of England, and Sir J. Lubbook to act as their advisers. They also named a committee they call "the Virginia Committee." The advisers have appointed Mr. John Henry Daniell and the Advisory Board has appointed Hon. E. J. Phelps, of Vermont (who was Minister to England under Geveland's Administration), on the commission to apportion the proceeds of settlement among the several classes of creditors. A meeting of the Virginia Committee in London was to have been held yesterday to appoint the third man.

Under the May agreement the Olcott committee is to publish the plan for twenty days and then forty days more shall be allowed the creditors in which to accept or reject it. If a majority accept then the committee will be authorized to surrender the bonds and composs in exchange for such a lumped amount of new bonds as Virginia may agree to issue.

The resolution appointing the Virginia

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The resolution appointing the Virginia guilative commission provides that a desait of \$1,500,000 shall be made before any roposition can be considered by them.

Death of an Old Newspaper-Man. Walter D. Moses & Co., 1005 Main stree (opposite post-office).

Bargains in Upright Plance.

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Mr. Robert B. Kasey, for many years an staché of the Richmond Waig and corre-pondent for several northern sepera, died

at his home on north Fourth street yes-terday morning. For a long time the deceased, who was a man of scholarly attainments, was in the cupley of the Richmond and Petersburg Railroad Company.

Mr. Kasey left a widow and several children. His funeral will take place from the first Presbyterian church at 3 o'clock this

SPECIAL SERVICES ON SUNDAY. City Missionary Society-Dr. Jackson at St. Paul's-Other Notes.

St. Paul's—Other Notes.

Rev. Dr. Peterson preached both morning and night to full congregations. The sermon at night was specially adapted to the Christimas season. His text was taken from Paul's Epistle to the Romans, thirteenth chapter: "Let us walk honestly as in the day; not in rioting and drunkenness." Subject. "How Should the Christian Spend the Time Set Apart to Celebrate the Advent of the Son of God?" He said that the conduct of every Christian during this joyous period should be such as will honor God and becefit mankind. The Christian cannot sacrifice his consistency and bis principles by allowing himself to be drawn into the vortex of sinful indulgences. He cannot afford to inful indulgences. He can Hon. William ',ovenstein, A. L. Phillips, J. C. Dickerson, T. Wiley Davis, William M. Turpin, Major J. H. Capers, and J. Taylor Stratton, (Captain E. D. Starke, sick) the road to ruin. But the Christian may be and should be glad in his heart as he celebrates the great event which gave the world a Saviour; should spend it in cheering the hearts of the needy by timely gifts. Make melody in his own heart and home, as he remembers the temporal and spiritual blessings that he has received from a loving Heavenly Father. Make it a season of joyous yet devout meditation with thankfulness.

The anniversary meeting of the Baptist City Missionary Society was held Sunday afternoon at the Second Baptist church. Mr. J. B. Montgomery presided. The attendance was larger than at any previous meeting held this year.

Reports showing the good financial condition

The board instructed the Committee on

On motion of Major J. H. Capers, it was re-solved that the 19th of January, the birthday of General Rebert E. Lee, be made a holiday for

matters that make pretty candy which parents would not allow chilterrible effects. Antoni makes pure neither through ignorance nor de-

Dr. Bledsee preached an excessor and a property of the merchanis' preparation for Christians, gifts as Hark-Place church Sunday rights, after referring to the merchanis' preparation for Christians and the universal custom of bestewing gifts he said as every father and mother know what to give each of their children, so the Henvenly Pather gives each what is dren, so the Henvenly Pather gives each what is dren, so the Henvenly Pather gives each what is fact that at precent, on orders from old fact that at precent, on orders from old the property of the Bible as one of the Bible as dron, so the Henvenly Father gives seem what is most needed. He spoke of the fibble see one grand picture-gallery of promises and assistances, on every page of which is a gift to mankind, and referred to God's gift of His son as the greatest of all gifts.

Dr. Landrum as the evening service at the Second Sapitstchurch preached the second of his series of sermons on the example of our Lord. His subject was "featus in Society," and the discourse was greatly enjoyed by the large congregation present.

store, Seventh and Broad, can rest asported, for Antoni is an expert and the

quent.
In many of the churches the sermons and music had special reference to the approaching festivals, and the congregations throughout the city were large.

Old Dominion Democratic Club of Jef-ferson Ward meets to-night. Charles E. Holt, deputy sheriff of Pittsylvania, was at the Capitol yesterday. Dr. Miriam Bitting, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mrs. L. C. Younger, 917 west Franklin street.

The Christmas german by the Social German Club will be given at Sanger Hall on December 29th. Mrs. Thomas H. Wynne, of Washington . C., is visiting her relatives at No. 14 orth Laurel street.

north Laurel street.

The new Hoe press for the Richmond Times arrived yesterday by the Old Dominion Line from New York.

Mr. W. E. Gary, with Messrs. John T. Stnart & Co., of Buena Vista, Va., is in the city and will remain during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowersock, of Baltimore, Md., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. C. Jordan, 522 north Seventh street.

rect.

Policeman C. H. Talley has been granted furlough of ten days by the Mayor. After hristmas-day he will visit his father and other in Hanover county.

The following shows the actual mortality of the city for the week ending Decem-

er 20th: Whole number of deaths, 43-23 white and 20 blored. colored.

Mr. William H. Stable, who, was connected with the management of the Richmond Theatre for several years and is popularly known here, has returned to Richmond

For the Dispatch.

The ladies of the City Mission find it impracticable to get up a dinner for the poor this year, as usual, but will substitute a feast for the children at the City Mission House, north Fourteenth street, next Saturday from 11 to 2 o'clock. Contributions are solicited of cakes, candies, nuts, oranges, &c., and they can be sent to the mission house, 10s north Fourteenth street, next Friday. Those who prefer sending contributions of money to be invested by the ladies can send to Mrs. A. Y. Stokes, No. 15 west Franklin street; Mrs. John Addison, 32 Park avenne; Mrs. G. Gifford, 101 south Elm street; Miss Eliza Hora, 607 cast Leigh street, and Mrs. Raleigh Colston, 709 cast Franklin street.

An Exquisite Piano.

An Exquisite Plano.

We have a Steinway Parlor Grand Plano made of the finest manogany that will be in our warerooms for two days only. It was made to order and as a special favor our customer consented to our placing it on exhibit. Those who admire fine workmanship and beautiful tone quality will be glad of the opportunity to see such an instrument. Walver D. Mozes & Co., 1005 Main street (opposite post-office).

Bargains in Upright Planos.

Thanks to Firemen. gans.
"Weber Pianos"—the grandest of all,
"Weelock Pianos"—the people's favorite
"Wilcox & White"—the best of Organs,
can be purchased at reduced prices for the
holidays. I desire to express my grateful thanks to the Chief Engineer and his assistants for their prompt work at the fire at my home. A more intelligent, efficient, and courte-ous body of men never formed a fire brigade than those who were at my house on last Saturday evening. aturday evening.
(Rev.) J. Calvin Stewart,

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

ing yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock. Pres-

SUPERINTENDENT'S MONTELY REPORT.

GENERAL LEE'S BIRTRDAY.

PINANCES FOR 1891.

The board adopted the annual estimate for funds for the ensuing year, which will be for warded to the Council. After transaction of routine business the board adjourned.

BE SURE IT IS PURE.

The name of Andrew Antoni is

sured that it is barmless, whether it is

is master of the candy-making trade.

Lord Chief-Justice Coleridge.

tributors the Lord Chief Justice of Eng-

kenzie, physician to the late Emperor of

Palms, Subber-Trees, and Blooming

Nothing could be nicer than one fine

plant for a Xmas gift. You can get them

FOR CHRISTMAS

at M. R. Catlin's, foot of south Laurel

Holiday Presents.

Richmond Floral Company.

Cut Flowers, Floral Decorations, Designs of all descriptions, American Beauties, La France Roses, &c. A splendid stock for the holidays. Greenhouses Brook road one fourth of a mile from the city. Telephone 1223, Sales-room corner Ninth and Main.

Can't you find something suitable for a man? Come to us and see what we have.

Neckwear in endless variety all put up in a nice box, Suspenders, Sulk Handker-chiefs, Linen Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Gloves, Bath Robes, Smoking Jackets, Umbrelias, Canes, Leather Cuff and Collar-Boxes, Travelling-Sets, Jewelry, etc.

Constable Boothers, 419 east Broad street.

The chennest and most pleasant route to Norfolk, Old Point, Hampton, Newport News, Portsmouth, and Eastern Shore, Va., is by the Steamer Ariel, leaving Richmond every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 7 A. M. Electric cars go directly to wharf Tickets to above-named points only \$1.50. Round trip, \$2.50—unlimited second class only \$1.

Great Bargains in Pianos. Hume, hinor & Co., on Ninth street, are dering great bargains in Pianos and Or-

at Hammond's, 107 east Broad street. Mistletoe, Hyacinth, and Holly

Success in the Medical Profes

whether on pleasure bent or business, should take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver, and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches, and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c. and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. MATTERS AFFECTING THEIR OPERA-TION CONSIDERED BY THE BOARD.

"Brows's BRONCHIAL TSOCHES' are excel-lent for the relief of Houseness or fore Throat. They are exceedingly effective."—Christian World, London, Eng. Escapes-Lee's Birthday - Estimates The regular meeting of the City School

Board was held at the High-School buildwithout a bottle of Augustura Bitters, the world-renowned appetizer of exquisite flavor. Beware ent: Hon. J. Taylor Ellyson (chairman),

Nesselrote Pudding, Marrow Pudding, Plombler, Merange Glace, Ice-Cream, all flavors and shapes at

111 cast Main street. William F. Fox (superintendent) and C. To Your Interest.

Why injure the stemachs of children by giving them adulterated candles when you can get the best goods, all sugar, from BCAKAGE

Mr. William F. Poz, the superintendent, submitted his monthly report, which gives the following figures: Number of echooise Walts, 188; colored, 100—total, 283. Teachers and Principals—White, 184; colored, 75—total, 29, Total, 20, 519. Monthly Eurolment—White, 6,365; colored, 4,224—bial, 10,859. Monthly Eurolment—White, 5,869; colored, 4,223—total, 10,032. Average Daily Attendance—White, 5,841; colored, 4,224—total, 9,082. Percentage, 29–3-10. The total eurolment and percentage for the past mostin has increased, but the monthly eurolment and average attendance has fallen off some.

The teachers, principale, and scholars of the schools are doing good work. (Pizzini's) at those prices; Pizzini's Celebrated Stick Candy 20c. per nch Candy at 25c, per pound.

A Splendid French Candy at 20, per pound.
A Splendid French Candy at 40c, per pound.
Tenny's Bonbose and Chocolate, in tin-boxes
for shipping, at 80a per pound. These are very
handsome. A French Mixture (not my make) for 15c. per

pound: two pounds for 25c.

Remember the place, Bunks's, 109 cast Broad street, Richmond, Va.

Fireworks very cheap at Mossra's. Buy Good Candies, Pure Candies, Fresh Can-

cater for Weddings, Receptions, High Teas, and Parties of every description. His cooks, wateers, cutlery, and chine is the finest in the city. When arranging for your next party give him

call and he will please you. Large assertment of Christmas-Tree Orna-

Buy the best Fruit Cake in the city from BURKE (Pizzini'el. If you want the best Fruit-Cake, Almond-

Boys, buy you Fireworks of BURKS (Pizzini's) CHRTBAL-SCHOOL BUILDING.

The beard adopted a resolution offered by Mr. Lovenstein looking to making estimates for a new achool-building to take place of the present Contral School, which is undit for school purpose and which is to be given to the ladies for a Monsta's is the place to order your Christmas

oupplies. French Mixed Candy, Platn Mixed Candy, Maillard's Chocolates, and Bon-Bons (at Mo BSTA'S.

For Impure or thin fileed, Weakness, Malaris, Neuraigh, Indigestion, and Billiousness take Brown's Iron Bitters. If gives strength, making old persons feel young, and young persons strong; pleasant to take.

Now is the time to order your Christmas Des

A DVICE TO MOTHERS,

household word in Richmond at Christ-For over fifty years MRS. WINSLOWS SOOTHING SYRUP has been used by millions of mas times, and what is more important it is a pame that represents pure candy. | mothers for their children while tooking. Are In this day of adulteration that is a fact | you disturbed at night and broken of your rest that is well worthy of the serious consideration of parents. Pure candy is harmless. Many adulterated candies are poisonous, and in some of the northern cities they are unceremoniously seized by the authorities and destroyed, as their consumption has been demonstrated to be the cause of much ill health among "Mrs. Winsow's Scubing Syrup" for subtreas other foreign substances that are put into candies give weight, but they do not dissolve in the stomach like pure | Priss to 'MRC, WINSLOW'S SOO! HING SYBUP sugar. There are many coloring

dren to eat if they knew their PECHNER & ELLIS, 7% P. M., silve, ware, tablecandy, and that speaks volumes.

Candy-making is his business, and

J. H. VALENTINE, 101; A. M., chamber suits, cooking-stoves, Christmas goods, &c.

We refer to the wild shrieks made by manufactured by Antoni himself or im-

ported, for Antoni is an expert and the most ingenious of foreign manufacturers

We are amused at this concern, here of bon-bons, &c., cannot deceive him.

These are important truths. In buying candy it is well to know not only the capital (?). This loud-mouthed gas-bag man you patronize, but to know that he of a concern has hoodwinked the people of Richmond and vicinity for a number of years, pretending to be saints in the eyes of the community, whereas they were Satan himself, and they have at The Youth's Companion announces as an important accession to its list of con-

for them and at our rapidly increasing land, Lord Coleridge, who will write on business.
"Success at the Ear." Bir Morell Mac-Germany, contributes a similar paper on

of any Cassimere or Cheviot Suit that sold for \$24, \$23, \$22, \$20, and \$18 at

Holiday Presents.

Our round-town man happened into the old-time house of J. W. Randolph & English and viewed with delight the many beautiful things displayed on their counters. Writing-Desks, Work-Boxes, Baskets, Books, Booklets, Ymas Cards, Gold-Pens and Holders, Pencils, Brica-Brac, Inkstands, Games, &c., &c., &c.

Food for the mind,
Salad for the solitary. of any Overcoat, Cape Coat, or Ulster, or Storm Coat that sold for \$24, \$23, \$22.

\$13.50.

ber of marbles in the glass jar on exhibi-tion in the east window will be presented on New-Year's day with this handso



1009 Main street,